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Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated March 11, 2005, rejecting the following Claims 1-7, 10, 11, 17-23 and 26.

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